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PETITION FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME  
PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)

Applicants hereby petition for a two-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action mailed on October 17, 2002, thus extending the time for response to March 17, 2002. Attached is my check in the amount of \$410.00 for the one-month extension fee. Should there be a deficiency, please charge any additional fees to my deposit account no. 05-0461.

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